Reimbursement Fact Sheet Fiscal Year 2022-23

California Department of Social Services Child Care Programs Fiscal Year 2022–23 Budget Act

The following are the governing rates for Fiscal Year (FY) 2022–23 for all California Department of Social Services (CDSS) childcare programs reimbursed at the standard reimbursement rate (SRR):

The SRR for General Child Care (CCTR) and Migrant (CMIG) is \$54.93 per child day of enrollment (cde) or \$13,733.00 per annum based on 250 days of operation (California *Welfare and Institutions Code* [*WIC*] Section 10280[b] and Assembly Bill 131 [Chapter 111 Statutes of 2021]). AB 131 also stipulates that commencing January 1, 2022, contractors who, as of December 31, 2021, received the standard reimbursement rate shall be reimbursed at the greater of the following:

- (A) The 75th percentile of the 2018 regional market rate survey
- (B) The contract per-child reimbursement amount as of December 31, 2021

Adjustment Factors

Applicable to reimbursement in accordance with the SRR (WIC Section 10281.5)

Children Meeting Specified Criteria	Adjustment Factor	Adjusted SRR at \$54.93	Adjustment Factor Combined w/ECMHC	Adjusted SRR at \$54.93 w/ECMHC
*Infants (0 - 18 months)	2.44	\$134.03 per cede	2.54	\$139.52 per cde
*Toddlers (18 months - 36 months)	1.8	\$98.87 per cde	1.9	\$104.37 per cde
36 months - 60 months	N/A	N/A	1.1	\$60.42 per CDE
Exceptional Needs (0 - 21 years)	1.54	\$84.59 per cde	1.64	\$90.09 per code
Severely Disabled (0 – 21 years)	1.93	\$106.02 per cde	2.03	\$111.51 per cde
*Children at Risk of Neglect, Abuse or	1.1	\$60.42 per cde	1.2	\$65.92 per CDE

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Exploitation (0-14 years)				
*Dual Language Learner (24 months through Kindergarten)	1.1	\$60.42 per cde	1.2	\$65.92 per code

NOTE: Per AB 131, the adjustment factors noted by asterisk above were scheduled to be phased out by January 1, 2022. However, SB 168 required the CDSS to notify the Legislature when changes in adjustment factors are needed, and a state-issued letter to the Joint Legislative Budget Committee sent October 2021 requested these adjustment factors be maintained until "broader childcare reimbursement rate discussions unfold". Therefore, those adjustment factors remain in effect until further notice.

The daily per child reimbursement rate for Child Care and Development Programs for Children with Special Needs (CHAN) is **\$88.20** in Alameda County and **\$91.99** in San Francisco County.

Age Classifications for Eligibility

Age Classification and Time Base	Center-Based	Regional Market Rate
Infants	Birth to 18 months	Birth to 24 months
Toddlers	18 months to 36 months	N/A
Preschool Age	36 months to Kindergarten	24 months to age 6
School Age	Kindergarten to age 13	6 years to 13 years
Time base: Full-time	30 + hours per week	30 + hours per week

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